

Anomaly Detection Through Behavior Signatures

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Overview



- **Parent Project Objectives**
- **Relation to Resilient Controls**
- **Large Scale Anomaly Detection**



Parent Project: AFRL City Beat



Hypotheses:

- Cities have a pattern of life that can be studied and modeled
- Anomalous behaviors have transactional signatures
- Behavior models can be used for high fidelity simulations

Objective:

- Develop an automated system with direct and indirect sensing to aid a human in anticipating, discovering and tracking nefarious transactions

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Layers of Sensors & Data Types



- Video cameras in public places
- Publically available web-based social networking data





Interactive Visualization and Camera Control



Matt Nedrich and Prof. James W. Davis
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- Cameras fused with their environment
- Fully geo-registered framework
 - Live – pano – ortho registration mapping
- Multiple control layers for efficient camera control
- Allows operators to concentrate on environment rather than cameras
- Embedded GIS information (e.g., floor plans, class schedules)
- Upgrade of camera network





Behavior Analysis

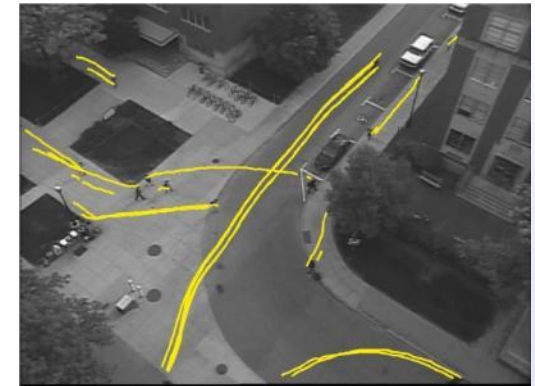
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Objective: Model the movement patterns of pedestrians and detect anomalies from learned behavioral trends.

Research Tasks:

- Real-time multi-object tracking algorithm
- Accumulate tracks over time (24/7)
- Search for “**Patterns of Life**” – Multiple Instance Learning
- Investigate influence of contextual factors
 - Day/Night, weather, scene density

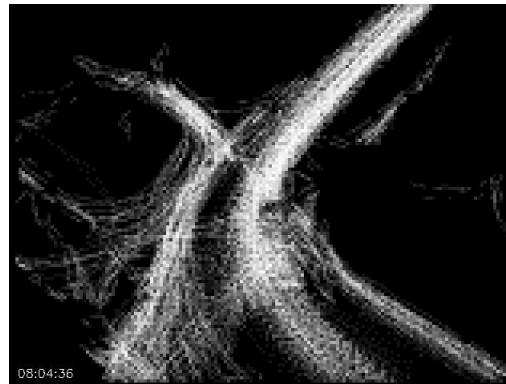
Real-time Multi-object Tracking



Typical scene

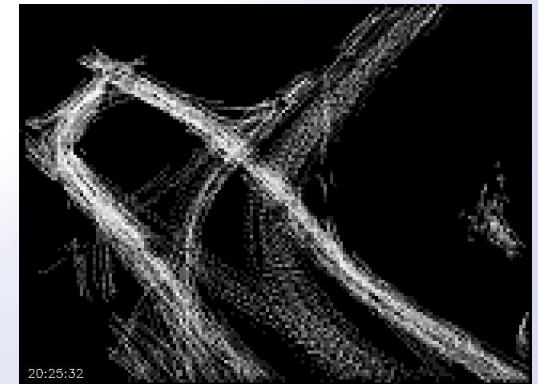


Accumulated Tracks



Morning (8 am)

Accumulated Tracks



Evening (8 pm)



Example Scenarios



Drop Off

- Drop off of person A and big bag
- Phone call made to person B
- Loitering of person A



Bag Exchange

- Meeting
- Set down both bags
- Check for contents
- Walk off briskly



Tracking of Bag

- Camera follows person B
- Person B walks towards bus stop



Sensor Handoff

- Use bus system routes and schedule
- Follow bus, check for dismount using bus stop surveillance



Experimentation Plans

➤ Variety of alerts

- Unusual groupings
- Exchanges
- Unusual velocities/loitering
- Off the path

➤ Confuser Events

- Buses group for orientation
- Textbook Hand-off
- Truck on sidewalk for construction

➤ Prioritize and address alerts

➤ Access indirect layers & visualization (schedules, maps, etc)

➤ Ability to view multiple windows & multiple cameras simultaneously

➤ Tracking capabilities

➤ Histograms show patterns

Visual

- Maps (Roads, Borders, Landforms)
- Labels (Buildings, Landmarks)
- Motion (Identify People, Vehicles)

Descriptive

- Building Information
- Schedule of Events
- City Facts

Patterns

- Transactional Trends
- Transportation Trends
- Socio-cultural

Alerts

- Entering and Leaving Buildings
- Groupings and Dispersions
- Unusual Velocities and Loitering





Relationship to Resilient Controls



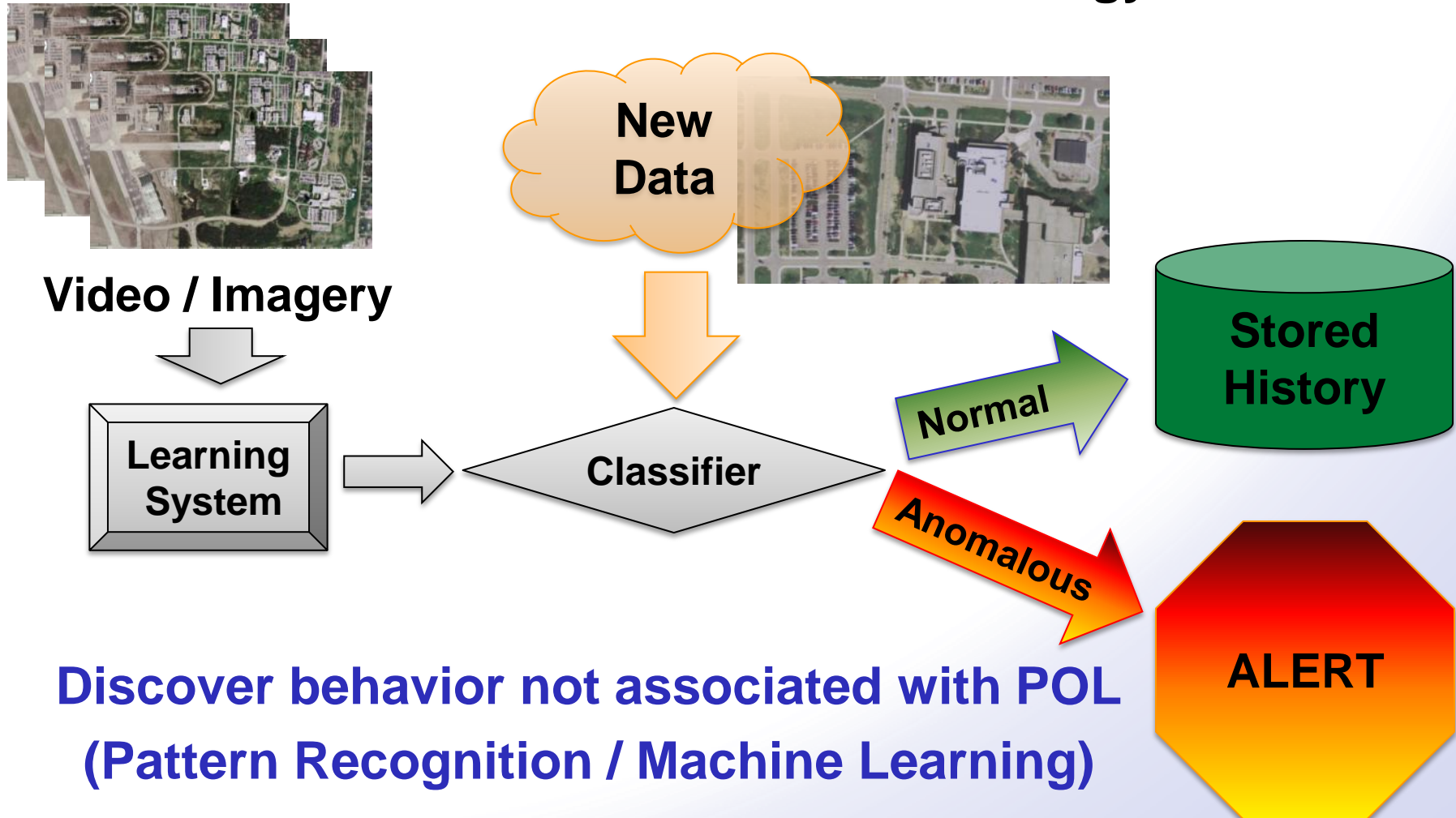
- **Goal:** Increase situation awareness and security through video-based surveillance
- **Assumption:** Ever-increasing video availability, but human resources limited
- **Problem:** Too much video for unassisted humans to be fully effective in finding indicators & analyzing events
- **Solution:** Machine-aided anomaly detection and analysis



Large Scale Anomaly Detection



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**Discover behavior not associated with POL
(Pattern Recognition / Machine Learning)**



Building Patterns of Life Info



- Process Video
- Identify entities & tracks
- Aggregate POL from “normal” paths



Video



Tracking



Patterns of Life



Classifiers



Supervised



Video / Imagery

Tracking,
Labeling



**Labeled
Track-space Data**

Binary
Classifier

**Unsupervised
(Clustering)**



Video / Imagery

Tracking



Track-space Data

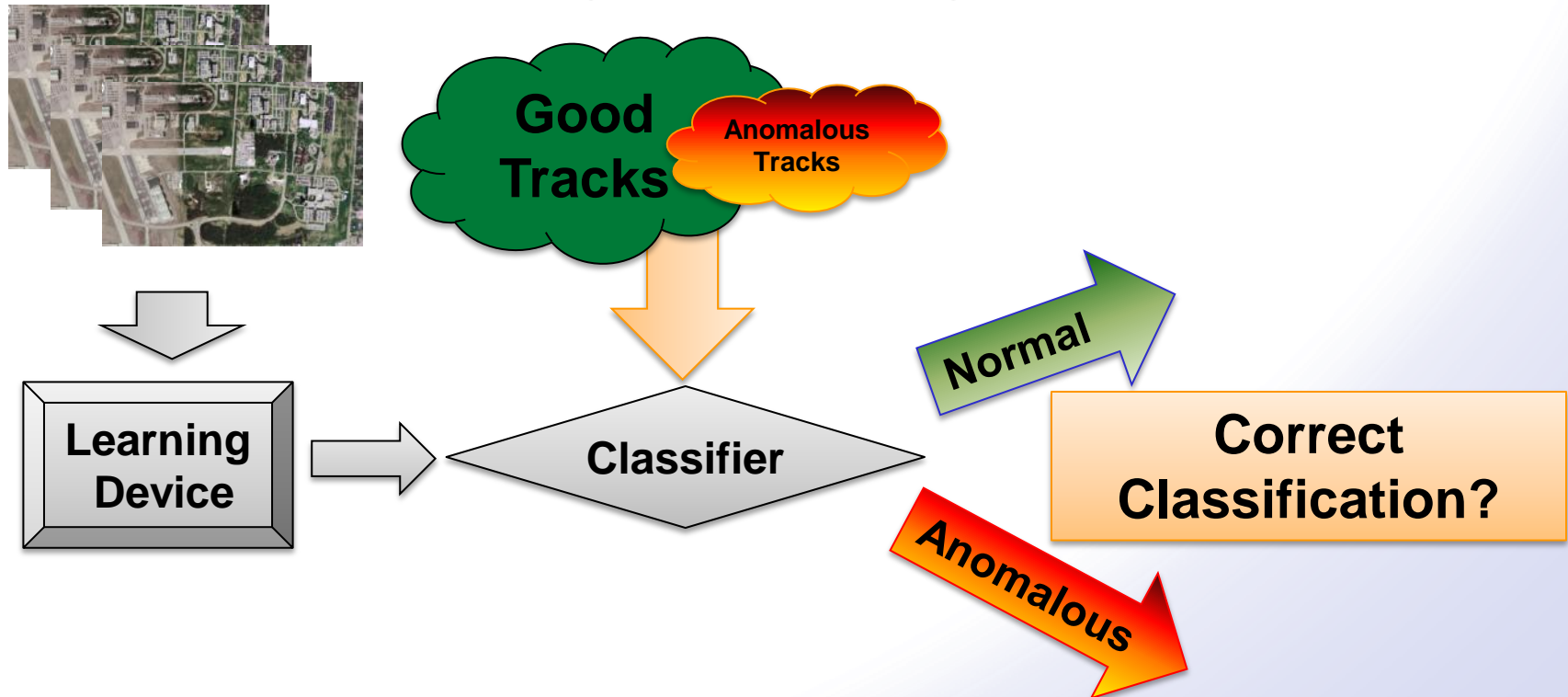
Cluster
Generator



Validation with Anomalous Tracks



- Simplest method for initial testing of the classifier
- Hard to Visualize / Analyze the results
- Doesn't evaluate image processing or tracker





Challenges



- Need to validate *system* behavior
- Difficult / Expensive to coordinate anomalies during live collection
- Can we synthesize anomalous behavior?
 - Alter Image Data
 - Simulate Collection Process





Spiral 2: Image Manipulation



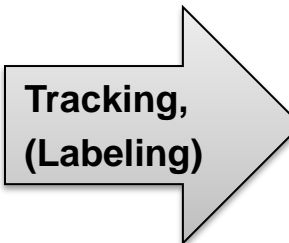
- **Alter images prior to tracking (or labeling)**
 - Add entities that are behaving anomalously in each image
 - Use MATLAB to automate the process



**Original
Video / Imagery**



Add Anomalies



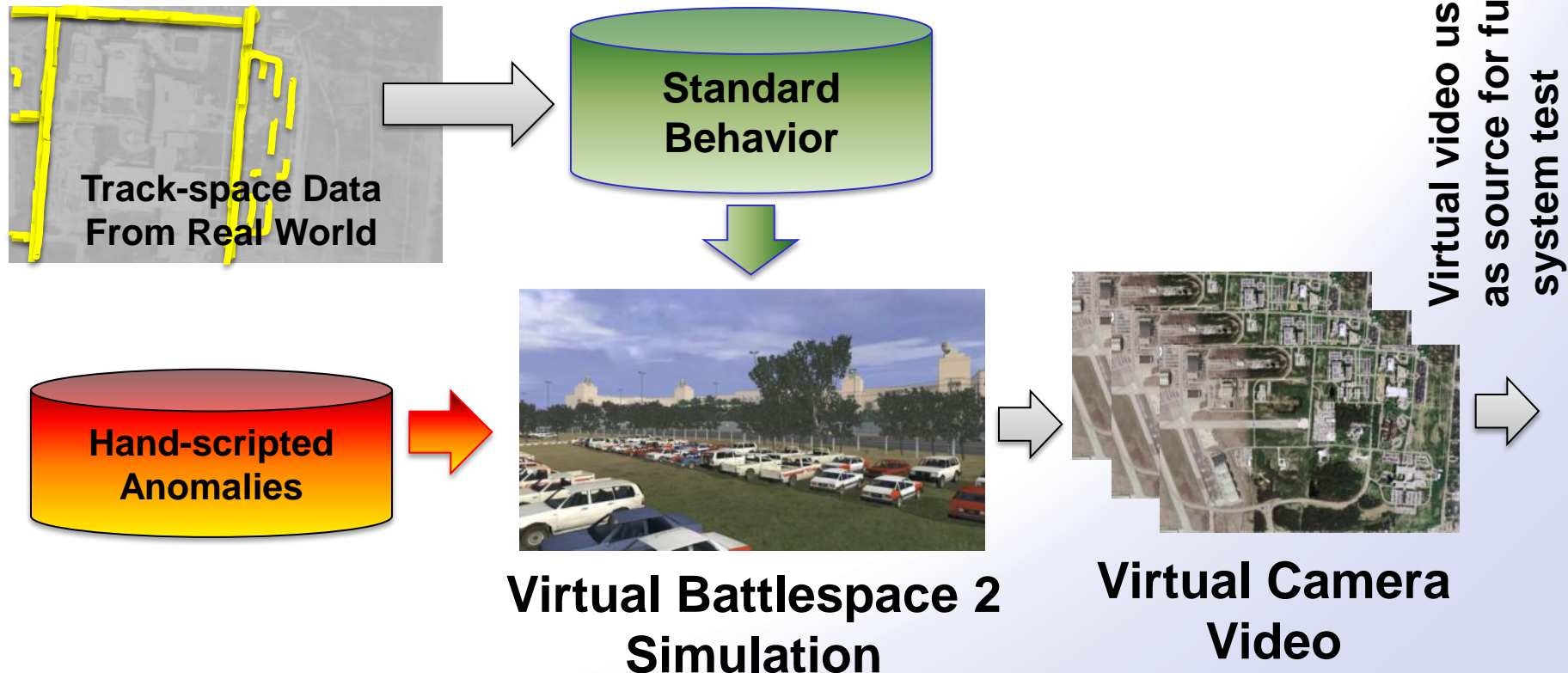
**(Labeled)
Track-space Data**



Spiral 3: Simulating Collection



- Recreate normal and add anomalous behavior within a simulated version of area of interest
- Collect & process video from simulation's virtual camera to test end-to-end system





Possible Future Work



- **Compare performance of classifier with humans**
- **Model the human security worker's actions**
 - **Decision to look for more info in existing data**
 - **Decision to take control of camera control / collection assets**
 - **Decision to direct emergency services / forces to anomalies**